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1. The reply filed on 9/3/02 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): while applicant has discussed at least to some degree which claims are readable on certain ones of the defined species, applicant has failed to specifically elect one of the species as defined in paragraph 5 of the last office action. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**
2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Stephen Gordon whose telephone number is (703) 308-2556.

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